

**PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q74006

Deepankar CHATTERJEE

Appln. No.: 10/764,553

Group Art Unit: 1643

Confirmation No.: 9897

Examiner: Tom V. SHENG

Filed: January 27, 2004

For: A PROMOTER FOR HIGH-THROUGHPUT SCREENING FOR INHIBITORS
AGAINST MYCOBACTERIA UNDER LOW CARBON CONDITIONS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of November 30, 2006 to May 30, 2007.

The statutory fee of \$1,020.00 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is also directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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